

About People
And Things
BY C. B. McDOWELL

DOGS KILL YEARLING

A pack of vicious dogs attacked and killed a yearling heifer belonging to J. D. Smith in his pasture near Evergreen cemetery one day last week.

The dogs belonged to a colored resident of Mulberry Heights who was tried before Mayor L. P. Mullins and fined. He was also warned by the Mayor and Chief of Police "Bo" Dunaway that unless he kept his dogs tied or confined, he would be fined some more.

Chief Dunaway said all owners of roving pestiferous dogs would be treated alike. There has been much complaint from time to time by Elba housewives of dogs turning over garbage cans, chasing house cats, killing chickens and now cattle. But many good citizens believe it is time to make war on the numerous roving dogs.

FILL ALMOST COMPLETE

Elba's gigantic hollow-filling project is almost complete. Some 60,000 cubic yards of dirt have been moved from rumps near Beaver Dam Creek, about 200 yards distant, filling a large hollow area fronting the Elba-Troy highway at the Kingston highway fork.

The project, which is the largest of its kind in Elba history, is to be the site on which a Texaco service station will be located. It will be built by Harry Bullard and B. R. Jeffcoat of Opp.

The property was purchased by Mr. Bullard from Shelby Morrow. It was originally the "Smith pasture," Mr. Morrow is said to be considering converting some of the excavated area bordering Beaver Dam Creek into a fish pond.

EDGARS HOME

Rev. and Mrs. Elvin T. Edgar and sons, Billy and Bobby, arrived home at 1:30 Saturday morning from a visit to Jonesboro, Ark. Mrs. Edgar and the boys visited her parents in Arkansas for three weeks.

Among his other activities, Rev. Edgar reported that he preached last Sunday at a church where he was pastor during the early days of his ministry.

This week he is in charge of the morning religious program over WIRB, Enterprise.

FIFTH SUNDAY SERVICE

The regular fifth Sunday union service was held Sunday night at the Elba First Baptist Church. Rev. E. T. Edgar, pastor of the Methodist Church, occupied the pulpit.

REMODELLED

The home of Mr. & Mrs. Sam Rowe, located across the street from Elba Oil Co., is being remodeled and modernized.

Some of the building material has been placed on the site and the improvement program is scheduled to start in the near future. Mr. & Mrs. Rowe have vacated their home while the remodeling is under way.

WILL MOVE SOON

Stokes Haire said Saturday that he has about ready to occupy the former Bonneau-Jeter Hardware store and will move the Elba Drug Company sometime soon. Both the building Mr. Haire is moving out of and the one he is moving into, have long and interesting histories and The Clipper hopes to publish a comprehensive story about them in the near future.

Michael Fick Places 21st in Alabama Spelling Bee Contest

Michael Fick, 12-year-old son of Mr. & Mrs. H. H. Fick, represented Coffee County in the state spelling bee held in Birmingham last Saturday. There were 54 contestants from the 17th and 18th grades throughout the state and Michael placed 21st. Clyde Gregory of Walker County won the spelling bee. Last year he represented Alabama at the National Spelling Bee held in Washington, D. C. Age limit of the contest is 15.

Mr. & Mrs. Fick and son, Terry, accompanied Michael to Birmingham. In talking to Mr. Fick Monday, he said he and Mrs. Fick were well-pleased with Michael's success in the spelling bee and hope he will have the opportunity of representing Coffee County at the state contest next year.

CEMETERY WORKING

There will be a cemetery working at Shavano Saturday, May 5. B. H. Hudson announced.

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6-Year-old Colored Boy Fatally Shoots Younger Brother

A six-year-old colored boy, son of R. C. Carpenter and wife, who live on the Robert Rowell place in White Water community, shot and fatally wounded his 4-year-old brother about 9 o'clock Monday morning.

It is reported that the little colored boys were at home watching television and decided to play cowboy. To make things real, it is said that the older boy crawled onto a bed and secured his father's loaded gun from the wall.

Pointing the weapon at his little brother's head, he pulled the trigger, the bullet entering the lad's head. He died some two hours later.

Mrs. Mary Ann Smith Succumbs April 29th

Mrs. Mary Ann Smith, long-time and highly esteemed resident of Bullock community died April 29. She was a member of Antioch Primitive Baptist church and was beloved by a large number of relatives and friends.

Surviving are three daughters, Mrs. Sara Prescott, Elba; Mrs. G. W. Ledon, Columbus, Ga.; and Mrs. H. O. Booth, Goshen, Ind.; a sister, Minnie Hudson of Elba.

Funeral services were held on Tuesday afternoon at Antioch Church with Elder Malone Meredith officiating. Burial was in the church cemetery with Hayes Funeral Home directing.

Real Estate Transfers

Cleane Williams and wife to Ardie Williams.
J. D. Morrow and wife to Ralph W. Trammel and wife.
Brooks S. Bowden and husband to Clyde and Sallie Porten.
John O. Samson and wife to Lonnie L. Hatway.
J. A. and Katie Mae Parrish to George Swails.

Marriage Licenses

The following licenses to wed were issued from the Elba probate office:
James Fred Davis, 28, New Brockton Rt. 2, and Miss Mary Jo Smart, 18, Elba, Rt. 1.
Hasten Henderson, 19, Samson Rt. 1, and Miss Annie Rae Russell, 15, Samson, Rt. 2.
John Frank Wilkerson (col), 37, Elba, Rt. 2, and Corine Blake, 32 (col), Elba, Rt. 2.

Elmer Bryan of Pine Level Says—

Farmer Using Efficient Machinery Can Still Make Money

A farmer using efficient methods and working at his job can still make money tilling the soil. Elmer Bryan of Pine Level said when he came in Thursday to pick up the free aerial photo of his place which was run as the Mystery Farm last week.

For this remark to come from as progressive a land owner as Mr. Bryan should mean quite a lot because whenever the Soil Conservation Service or County Extension Service are looking for a "good example" to show other farmers or visiting specialists, they invariably wind up at Elmer Bryan's farm in Pine Level community.

Statue he goes along with equipment, station wagon, tractor, and much as possible. Mr. Bryan said many of his recommendations when tempted with his practical experience, have enabled him to make more money.

Almost every phase of the operation on the Bryan farm has been written up at one time or another. Now owning 923 acres, he started 13 years ago on a 95-acre plot purchased from Drayton Smith. A few years later this was used to buy 428 more. As successful crop seasons have followed, he has added to his holdings until they now total 923 acres.

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POOR ORIGINAL

AT BEEF CATTLE FIELD DAY—

Grazing Will Be Discussed

Coffee County farmers will hear a summary of three years' results from grazing yearling steers on summer grasses in southeastern Alabama at the third annual Beef Cattle Field Day at the Wiregrass Substation near Headland, on May 22. County Agent J. R. Speed says

the daylong program will feature a fat cattle judging contest, a tour of pastures, demonstration of slaughter grades of cattle, and talks by staff members of the API Agricultural Experiment Station and by extension service specialists.

The morning program will open at 9:30 with C. A. Brogden, substation superintendent, presiding. Registration is at 9 AM. Following a tour of pastures, W. H. Gregory and R. C. Farquhar, extension beef cattle specialists, will conduct the judging contest and the slaughter

grades demonstration. The morning program is to conclude with D. W. McWhorter, associate animal breeder for the Experiment station, reporting on selection of cattle for breeding purposes.

The afternoon program includes reports on preliminary results of feeding and management of slaughter cattle on pasture by Specialist Gregory; grazing summaries by P. ofessor Salmon, wintering of stock

Mystery Farm to Be Identified



The owner of the farm pictured above will receive a free aerial photo if his place is identified by the Elba office before the next issue is published. Readers correctly identifying the farm and plotting in or writing in about it are eligible to win a free six months subscription to The Elba Clipper. At the end of 52 weeks, the person identifying the most farms will receive a \$50 cash award.

Results of the 1955-56 testing of several fattening rations for finishing steers in dry lot by J. G. Brogden, wintering stocker cat- tling on slugs by E. L. Mayton, station superintendent, Dr. W. L. Gregory, extension beef cattle specialist, and the animal nutritionist, will be presented at the afternoon session.

The field day is under the joint sponsorship of the API Agricultural Experiment Station and Extension Service.

Superintendent of the Piedmont Substation, Camp Hill, and the

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COFFEE DRIVE IN THEATRE

Box Office Opens 6:00
New Brockton-Enterprise Highway

Show Starts 6:30
Fri.-Sat., May 4-5

Overland Pacific
Jack Mahoney
Odele Jergens

DOUBLE FEATURE
SHARK RIVER
Steve Cochran

Sun.-Mon., May 6-7
Soldier of Fortune
Clark Gable
Susan Hayward

Tues.-Wed., May 8-9
How to be Very, Very Popular
Betty Grable
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SOCIETY - NEWS - SECTION

MRS. J. D. WHITMAN

Society Editor



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Mrs. Roy Gambill and daughter Carol and Cheryl of Lauderdale, Miss. are spending some time with her parents, Mr. & Mrs. A. C. Dunaway.

Mr. & Mrs. M. L. Seay, Mrs. Leslie Johnson, Mrs. C. E. Dorsey and Mrs. Sam Sawyer spent last Tuesday in Birmingham.

Mrs. Sam Rowe spent several days last week in Montgomery with her parents, Mr. & Mrs. Diamond Pierson.

Mr. & Mrs. L. W. Throver and children, Mike, Anne and Janet Dothan, spent Sunday with Mr. & Mrs. Charles Martin who recently moved into their attractive new home on Brantley Road.

Percy Jones of Mobile spent Tuesday and Wednesday of last week with his parents, Rev. & Mrs. J. A. Jones. Mrs. Jones has been in ill health for some time.

Mr. & Mrs. Hendrix Jeter have returned home from Memphis, Tenn. where they were called to the bedside of Mrs. Jeter's sister, Mrs. Roy B. Peterson.

Friends of Mrs. Jeter sympathize with her in the death of her sister which occurred on Saturday, April 25.

Mr. & Mrs. Bob Donaldson of Chaplin, Fla. spent Sunday with relatives here.

Mrs. Estelle Wilkerson had her guests on last weekend Mr. & Mrs. John Wilkerson of Montgomery and Mr. & Mrs. Hoyt Williams and little son of Union Springs.

Willard Green spent last week with relatives in Russellville.

Lt. & Mrs. Levy Morrow and little son of Montgomery visited their parents, Mr. & Mrs. H. D. Tillman the first of the week.

Mr. & Mrs. Joel Murphree of Enterprise visited his parents, Mr. & Mrs. F. H. Murphree last week.

Mrs. Pauline Allen and Ellen Kate and Mrs. Harold Hudson were visitors to Montgomery on Friday.

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Willard Green spent last week with relatives in Russellville.

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AT BEEF CATTLE FIELD DAY—

Grazing Will Be Discussed

Coffee County farmers will hear a summary of three years' results from grazing studies on summer grasses in the southeastern Alabama at the third annual Beef Cattle Field Day at the Wiregrass Substation near Headland, on May 2. County Agent J. R. Speddy will

experiment station's department of animal husbandry and nutrition, will present the results of the grazing experiment. The morning program will open at 9:30 with C. A. Broden, station superintendent, presiding. Registration is at 9 AM. Following a tour of pastures, W. H. Gregory and R. C. Farquhar, extension beef cattle specialists, will conduct the judging contest and the slaughter

grades demonstration. The morning program is to conclude with D. W. Warren, associate animal breeder for the Experiment station, reporting on selection of cattle for breeding purposes. The afternoon program includes reports on preliminary results of feeding and management of slaughter cattle on pasture by Specialist Gregory; grazing summaries by Professor Salmon; wintering of stocker

Mystery Farm to Be Identified



The owner of the farm pictured above will receive a free aerial photo if his place is identified by the Elba Clipper. The field day is under the high roughage ration by Supt. Broden; wintering stocker cattle on pasture by the Piedmont station superintendent, Dr. W. B. Anthony, experiment station Substation, Camp Hill, and the animal nutritionist, will preside. Get The Clipper Reading Habit

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We will be open from 7 AM to 5 PM Monday through

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Steve Cochran

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How to be Very, Very Popular

Betty Grable
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Thursday, May 10

Betrayed
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THE RACERS
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Saturday, May 5

CHARLES STARRETT
OUTLAWS OF THE PANHANDLE
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SOCIETY - NEWS - SECTION

MRS. J. D. WHITMAN

Society Editor



MR. & MRS. H. G. SWAIN

Mr. & Mrs. H. G. Swain
Celebrate Golden
Wedding on April 15

Mr. & Mrs. H. G. Swain celebrated their golden anniversary Sunday, April 15 at the home of their son James Carlos in Ocala, Fla. The couple was married at the home of Mrs. Swain's parents in Coffee County and reside now in a home on the Enterprise-Elba road within the city limits.

They are the parents of seven children, six of whom are now living. They are Hilda (Mrs. E. F. Swain) Lunsford, Elba; Harold, Gordon Swain, Live Oak, Fla.; Vincent Swain, Ft. Walton Beach; Lois (Mrs. R. L. Taylor), Panama City; James Carlos

and Mrs. Dewey Hataway and Mrs. Ted Beckum were appointed to a condolence committee.

Mrs. Willie Coon was elected secretary to fill the office left vacant by Mrs. Charles Spears who resigned.

After a short business meeting a program was held in honor of Will Ware, founder of the Educational Loan Fund. Mrs. Estelle Foster told the life history of Mr. Ware and read a poem in memory of him. Ann Sue Malory gave piano solo recital. Annette Nevin gave a reading under the direction of Mrs. Willie Clark.

HD CLUB
Mrs. W. B. Whitthurst and Mrs. W. L. Stephens were hostesses at the home of Mrs. Whitthurst last Thursday afternoon to the members of the Home Demonstration Club at their regular meeting.

The story of the song, "Past Me Not" was told by Mrs. Sara Hutchison, assistant home agent. Mrs. Whitthurst lead the devotional.

Mrs. Wood, in behalf of Mr. Curtis Goodin was appointed Youth Program Leader.

Those spending Sunday with Miss Mamie Lenoir, Henry Lenoir and their guest, John Jackson of Chicago, were Mr. & Mrs. John Lenoir and Mrs. Fannie Rice of Pensacola. Mrs. Daisy Johnson and Mr. & Mrs. Ed Sanders and daughter, Donna Reed and Carol Ann of Montgomery, Mr. & Mrs. Calvin Stephens and Mrs. Porter Yelverton of Andalusia. Guests of Mr. & Mrs. Arlita Heimer of Opp and Mr. & Mrs. W. L. Stephens on invitation of Mr. & Mrs. Stephens they all came to the Stephens home and enjoyed lunches together on the picnic table in the yard.

W. J. Donaldson returned to his home Friday after spending two weeks in Montgomery with Miss Sue Donaldson, while her brother, with whom she lives, visited Mr. & Mrs. Morris Donaldson in El Paso, Texas.

Mr. & Mrs. J. W. Smart and Bobby of Tallahassee spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. & Mrs. H. H. Bradberry.

Guests of Mr. & Mrs. M. T. Bowden Sunday were a number of Mrs. Bowden's brothers and sisters, Mr. & Mrs. C. B. Carter and daughter, Cathrine, Misses Wilmar and Sarah Polmar, Mr. & Mrs. Ralph Polmar, Mr. & Mrs. Riley Polmar and children, Betty Lou, Janice, Gloria and Dwight.

Mr. & Mrs. R. C. Johnson and Mrs. Jessie Mathews spent the weekend in Sylvauga with Mr. & Mrs. P. H. Fair, Mr. & Mrs. Roscoe Taylor and Mr. & Mrs. Ned Jones.

Gregory McCord, small son of Mr. & Mrs. Joe McCord, was a

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STEW 19c

Fresh First Cut Pork lb.

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STEAK 69c

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BEEF 99c

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White 15c

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ROAST 37c

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Swift's Canned 3-12 oz cans

PREM \$1. CHILI 19c

Swift's with Beans 16 oz can

PEAS 15c

Swift's Peanut 11 oz Jar

BUTTER 29c

Swift's VIENNAS 2 Cans

29c

Swift's Spaghetti & MEAT BALLS 2-16 oz Cans

49c

Swift's All-Sweet 1 lb carton

MARGARINE 27c

Swanson Fruit 10 oz Pie

PIES 19c

Plymouth 1-2 lb pkg

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CANDY 29c

Domino 5 lbs with grocery

SUGAR 29c

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No. 10 Jug

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Fresh Blackeyed lb.

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About People And Things

BY C. B. McDOWELL

THEFTS SOLVED

After several weeks of work, Elba police officers under Police Chief I. F. "Bo" Dunaway, secured the confession of two teenage boys in the series of robberies that have taken place the past several weeks.

The boys, 17 and 15, were apprehended after stealing a billfold from the Club 15. Under intensive questioning the younger boy finally admitted stealing the billfold, extracting the \$7 in money, burning the contents and throwing the billfold into Beaver Dam Creek.

When the older boy found out his younger pal confessed, he admitted his part in the theft. They also confessed to burglarizing the Shelby Morrow Grocery, Whitman Drug and Market, and a successful attempt to enter Smith Brothers Store.

The boys were lodged in the county jail but on account of their youth, were released into custody of their parents and a juvenile court. The hearing comes up before Judge English May 23.

TWO INCHES OF RAIN

J. D. Smith reported Monday that the total rainfall, commencing Friday, Saturday and Sunday amounted to a little more than two inches in this area.

Showers were quite general over the county, Lehman Leompt reported a heavy rain in his section and Loyd Phillips said Goodman community received a shower. However, some sections received only light precipitation.

At this season of the year, when the sap is running freely, a great amount of moisture is needed to keep all kinds of vegetation growing as it should.

Most farmers from various parts of the county report good stands of cotton, corn and peanuts. The corn is called much better than at this time last year.

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REPRESENTATIVE

Shirley Sewing Machine Company announces the appointment of P. B. Lloyd as its representative for Elba and vicinity. Mr. Lloyd can be reached by calling Martin Mercantile Co., Phone 320. 31p April 26-May 3

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Hospitals, Schools, City Limits & Fire Department

Council Takes Action on Four Major Problems Monday Night

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